2016 PRIMARY ELECTION
03/15/2016
ABSTRACT OF VOTES
FOR
RUTHERFORD COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

INSTRUCTIONS
The county board shall prepare abstracts of all the ballot items in triplicate originals. The county board shall retain one of the triplicate originals, and shall distribute one each to the clerk of superior court for the county and the State Board of Elections. The State Board of Elections shall forward the original abstract it receives to the Secretary of State. (GS § 163-182.6)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF RUTHERFORD

The County Board of Elections for said county, having opened, canvassed, and judicially determined the original returns of the election in the precincts in this county, held as above stated, do hereby certify that the above is a true abstract thereof, and contains the number of legal ballots cast in each precinct for each office or referendum named, the name of each person or choice voted for, their party affiliation (where applicable), and the number of votes cast for each person or choice for the item named.

This is the 22nd day of March, 2016.

Gail Parton
Chairman

Margaret P. Helton
Secretary

Member

This day personally appeared before me, Gail Parton, Chairman of the County Board of Elections, who being duly sworn, says the abstract of votes herein contained is true and correct, according to the returns made to said Board.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal this the 22nd day of March, 2016.

Deborah J. Bedford
Official Signature of Notary Public

Deborah J. Bedford
Printed/Typed Name of Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 7/1/2017

Deborah J Bedford
NOTARY PUBLIC
Rutherford County, NC
(Seal)

March 15, 2016 Primary Election Results by Contest

Contest	Choice	Party	Total Votes	Election Day	One Stop	Abs Mail	Provisional
US PRESIDENT - REP	Mike Huckabee	REP	22	18	4	0	0
	John R. Kasich	REP	683	488	178	17	0
	Rand Paul	REP	11	7	3	0	1
	Marco Rubio	REP	544	361	160	21	2
	Rick Santorum	REP	3	3	0	0	0
	Donald J. Trump	REP	4,157	2,860	1,219	58	20
	Jeb Bush	REP	23	18	4	1	0
	Ben Carson	REP	89	64	22	2	1
	Chris Christie	REP	7	4	3	0	0
	Ted Cruz	REP	2,899	2,144	704	39	12
	Carly Fiorina	REP	4	1	3	0	0
	Jim Gilmore	REP	2	2	0	0	0
	No Preference	REP	18	13	4	1	0
US PRESIDENT - DEM	Martin J. O'Malley	DEM	118	94	20	4	0
	Bernie Sanders	DEM	2,329	1,648	623	39	19
	Hillary Clinton	DEM	2,395	1,446	908	32	9
	Roque Rocky De La Fuente	DEM	29	20	7	2	0
	No Preference	DEM	347	265	81	1	0
US PRESIDENT - LIB	John David Hale	LIB	2	1	1	0	0
	Cecil Ince	LIB	0	0	0	0	0
	Gary Johnson	LIB	6	5	1	0	0
	Steven Elliott (Steve) Kerbel	LIB	1	0	0	0	1
	Darryl W. Perry	LIB	2	2	0	0	0
	Austin Petersen	LIB	1	0	1	0	0
	Derrick Michael Reid	LIB	1	1	0	0	0
	Jack B. Robinson, Jr.	LIB	0	0	0	0	0
	Rhett Rosenquest Smith	LIB	0	0	0	0	0
	Barbara Joy Waymire	LIB	0	0	0	0	0
	Marc Allan Feldman	LIB	0	0	0	0	0
	No Preference	LIB	11	11	0	0	0
US SENATE - REP	Larry Holmquist	REP	455	323	125	6	1
	Paul Wright	REP	939	709	211	13	6
	Greg Brannon	REP	1,723	1,196	478	42	7
	Richard Burr	REP	4,203	2,891	1,232	67	13

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US SENATE - DEM	Ernest T. Reeves	DEM	653	439	205	4	5
	Chris Rey	DEM	537	339	190	5	3
	Deborah K. Ross	DEM	2,509	1,649	793	54	13
	Kevin D. Griffin	DEM	734	510	214	8	2
NC GOVERNOR - REP	Pat McCrory	REP	6,090	4,188	1,772	111	19
	Charles Kenneth Moss	REP	949	702	234	9	4
	C. Robert Brawley	REP	762	583	165	10	4
NC GOVERNOR - DEM	Ken Spaulding	DEM	1,681	1,205	451	13	12
	Roy Cooper	DEM	2,931	1,838	1,024	57	12
NC LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR - DEM	Holly Jones	DEM	1,461	1,017	409	27	8
	Ronald L. Newton	DEM	669	450	205	11	3
	Robert Earl Wilson	DEM	664	459	194	7	4
	Linda Coleman	DEM	1,632	1,003	595	25	9
NC ATTORNEY GENERAL - REP	Buck Newton	REP	4,068	2,886	1,096	68	18
	Jim O'Neill	REP	2,680	1,861	763	49	7
NC ATTORNEY GENERAL - DEM	Josh Stein	DEM	2,085	1,394	629	52	10
	Marcus W. Williams	DEM	2,253	1,487	738	14	14
NC COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE - REP	Andy Stevens	REP	3,104	2,260	791	42	11
	Steve Troxler	REP	3,625	2,450	1,087	73	15
NC COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE - REP	Joe McLaughlin	REP	2,121	1,496	580	39	6
	Ronald (Ron) Pierce	REP	1,760	1,281	455	20	4
	Mike Causey	REP	2,508	1,694	750	49	15
NC COMMISSIONER OF LABOR - DEM	Charles Meeker	DEM	2,289	1,512	727	41	9
	Mazie Ferguson	DEM	1,977	1,321	614	27	15
NC SECRETARY OF STATE - REP	Michael LaPaglia	REP	3,766	2,653	1,030	72	11
	A. J. Daoud	REP	2,520	1,741	724	41	14
NC SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION - REP	Mark Johnson	REP	3,464	2,471	940	44	9
	J. Wesley Sills	REP	831	569	233	23	6
	Rosemary Stein	REP	2,117	1,455	612	40	10
NC SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION - DEM	Henry J. Pankey	DEM	1,288	896	374	12	6
	June Atkinson	DEM	3,110	2,019	1,018	55	18
NC TREASURER - DEM	Dan Blue III	DEM	2,354	1,506	806	30	12
	Ron Elmer	DEM	2,003	1,381	575	35	12
NC STATE SENATE DISTRICT 47 - DEM	Tim Murphy	DEM	2,111	1,345	729	31	6

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NC STATE SENATE DISTRICT 47 - DEM	Mary Jane Boyd	DEM	2,288	1,564	668	38	18
RUTHERFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT 3 - DEM	Eddie Holland	DEM	2,593	1,701	839	38	15
	Jerry Wease	DEM	2,329	1,578	716	25	10
RUTHERFORD COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS - REP	Charles A. Martell	REP	2,679	1,957	662	49	11
	Rachel Thomas	REP	4,423	3,030	1,308	69	16
CONNECT NC PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT BOND	For		8,275	5,635	2,405	118	117
	Against		4,433	3,079	1,213	81	60